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<u>CERTIFIED MAIL</u> RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Brian Yeich
United Technologies Corporation
MS-503
1 Financial Plaza
Hartford, Connecticut 06101

RE: Carrier Air Conditioning Company/TN

Thirty (30) Day Public Comment Period Notification

Dear Mr. Yeich:

The United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) hereby notifies you that the thirty-day public comment period required by Section 122(i) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 (CERCLA), 42 U.S.C. § 9622(i), regarding the Agreement for Recovery of Past and Future Response Costs (Agreement) for the Carrier Air Conditioning Company Superfund Site in Collierville, Shelby County, Tennessee, has expired. EPA did not receive any comments that disclose facts or considerations which indicate that the agreement was inappropriate, improper or inadequate. Therefore, EPA has finalized the Agreement. An executed copy of the Agreement is enclosed.

Pursuant to Paragraph XV., the effective date of the this Agreement shall be the date upon which EPA issues written notice that the public comment period has ended. Therefore, pursuant to Paragraph V., the payment of \$321,000.00 is due to the EPA within thirty (30) days of the date of this letter.

Payment shall be made by certified or cashier's check, made payable to "EPA Hazardous Substances Superfund." The check shall reference the name of the settling party, the name of the Site, Carrier Air Conditioning Company, the EPA ID number: TND044062222, the site/spiller ID number: 049D, and the CERCLA docket number: 01-05-C, and shall be sent to:

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency—Region 4
Superfund Accounting
Post Office Box 100142
Atlanta, Georgia 30384
Attention: Collection Officer in Superfund

A copy of the check shall simultaneously be sent to Ms. Paula V. Batchelor at:

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency—Region 4
Waste Management Division
CERCLA Program Services Branch
CERCLA Enforcement Section
61 Forsyth Street, S.W.
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

If you have any questions, please contact Ray Strickland, Enforcement Project Manager, at (404) 562-8890 or David Clay, Assistant Regional Counsel, at (404) 562-9565.

Sincerely yours,

Franklin E. Hill, Chief

**CERCLA Program Services Branch** 

Waste Management Division

cc: William F. Leikin, Carrier Corporation

Enclosure